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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE -

In an on-line shopping system including a commerce provider server connected to a network, a user terminal is provided at a user's home and is connected to the network to receive goods information from the commerce provider server and transmit selected goods information and an identification number of the user to the commerce provider server. A multimedia terminal is provided at a store and is connected to the network to transmit the identification number to the commerce provider server and receive the selected goods information from the commerce provider server to acknowledge the selected goods information.

CLAIMS

1. An on-line shopping system comprising:
a commerce provider server connected to a

5 network;

a first terminal, provided at a user's home and connected to said network, for receiving goods information from said commerce provider server and transmitting selected goods information and an identification number of said user to said commerce provider server; and

a'second terminal, provided at a store and connected to said network, for transmitting said identification number to said commerce provider server and receiving said selected goods information from said commerce provider server to acknowledge said selected goods information.

- 2. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein said commerce provider server comprises a storing unit for storing selected goods information in correspondence with identification numbers.
- 3. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein said network comprises the Internet.
- 4. The system as set forth in claim 1, wherein said first terminal carries out a combination of information and transmits combined information along with said identification number to said commerce provider server,

said commerce provider server storing said combined information in correspondence with said identification number,

said second terminal receiving said combined information from said commerce provider server in correspondence with said identification number.

- 5. The system as set forth in claim 4, wherein said second terminal prints said combined information.
- 6. An on-line shopping method comprising the steps of:
 connecting a first terminal provided at a
 user's home via a network to a commerce provider server;

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transmitting goods information from said commerce provider server via said network to said first terminal;

transmitting selected goods information and an identification number from said first terminal via said network to said commerce provider server;

transmitting said identification number from a second terminal provided at a store to said commerce provider server; and

transmitting said selected goods information in correspondence with said identification number from said commerce provider server via said network to said second terminal.

- 7. The method as set forth in claim 6, wherein said network comprises the Internet.
- 8. An on-line shopping method comprising the steps of:

 connecting a first terminal provided at a
 user's home via a network to a commerce provider server;

 carrying out a combination of information at
 said first terminal;

transmitting combined information and an identification number from said first terminal via said network to said commerce provider server;

transmitting said identification number from a second terminal provided at a store to said commerce provider server; and

transmitting said combined information in correspondence with said identification number from said commerce provider server via said network to said second terminal.

9. The method as set forth in claim 8, wherein said network comprises the Internet.